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SUBJECT: MAJOR LIVESTOCK PROTEST PLANNED FOR  
THESSALONIKI APRIL 13

REF: JACKSON MEMCON OF MARCH 15, 1975

1. THESSALONIKI PAPERS OF APRIL 10 REPORT THAT NATIONAL LIVESTOCK CONGRESS SCHEDULED AT PALAIS DES SPORTS HERE APRIL 13 WILL BE ATTENDED BY APPROX 5,000 LIVESTOCK PRODUCERS. ACCORDING TO REPORT, PURPOSE OF MEETING WILL BE AIRING OF GREEK LIVESTOCK CRISIS AND "MISTAKEN LIVESTOCK POLICIES OF GOG OVER PAST 25 YEARS WHICH STILL CONTINUE". MINISTER FOR NORTHERN GREECE MARTIS WILL OPEN CONGRESS AND MINISTERS OF AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE SCHEDULED TO ATTEND.

2. COMMENT: LIVESTOCK ISSUE CONTINUES TO GENERATE INTENSE FEELINGS HERE ON PART OF PRODUCERS WHO ARE ANGERED BY MEAT PRICES CLAIMED TO BE BELOW PRODUCTION COSTS AND LARGE MEAT IMPORTS FROM YUGOSLAVIA. LIVESTOCK OPERATORS HAVE INFORMED US THAT PROTEST DRIVE OF 2,000 CATTLE INTO THESSALONIKI PLANNED TO COINCIDE WITH CONGRESS, AND CONGEN BELIEVES THAT  
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